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Re:

U.S. Utility Patent Application

Appl. No. 09/783,034; Filed: February 15, 2001

For: Enhanced Die-Down Ball Grid Array and Method for Making the

Same

Inventors:

Khan et al.

Our Ref:

1875.0210000

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

- 1. Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) with copy of assignment attached; and
- 2. Power of Attorney from Assignee.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier. In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) or equivalent and other good and valuable consideration paid to each of the undersigned inventors: 1) <u>Reza-ur Rahman Khan, and 2) Sam Ziqun Zhao</u> the undersigned inventors hereby sells and assigns to <u>Broadcom Corporation</u> (the Assignee) his/her entire right, title and interest, including the right to sue for past infringement and to collect for all past, present and future damages:

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- (a) in the invention known as Enhanced Die-Down Ball Grid Array and Method for Making the Same for which application for patent in the United States of America has been executed by the undersigned on 1) 2/7/6/2) 2) 2/7/6/3) (also known as United States Application No. To be assigned, filed Herewith), in any and all applications thereon, in any and all Letters Patent(s) therefor, and
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The undersigned inventor(s) hereby represent(s) that he/she has full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that he/she has not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict therewith.

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